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There was a meeting of the Stockholders of the Richmond and Danville Railroad, on Tuesday, in Richmond. Lewis E. Harvie resigned his situation as President of the company. Mr. A. S. Buford of Danville and Gen. Jos. E. Johnston were then put in nomination for President. The nomination of the latter gentleman caused considerable discussion. Mr. Flournoy, spoke warmly in favor of Gen. Johnston.

"In the course of his address, he brought out Mr. Charles Palmer, who at first said that in a conversation he had with General Terry, the General had left him in doubt as to General Johnston's eligibility, or rather whether he would be acceptable to the authorities; but he, Mr. Palmer, nevertheless, expressed the opinion that it was very doubtful if the election of General Johnston would be acceptable.

Mr. Edmonds, of Halifax, then addressed the meeting, and said, that while there was no one who would vote for General Johnston more cheerfully than he would, yet, under the circumstances, he feared that General Johnston would not be the most available person to negotiate with the Secretary of the Treasury, on the question of the Piedmont road. Mr. George R. Peake, too, addressed the meeting, and so did several others. In the course of Mr. Flournoy's speech he asked to be informed as to what the opinion of the Governor of the State was on the election of General Johnston, and thereupon a State proxy, said that Governor Peirpoint had that evening expressed the opinion that he did not consider it prudent or at all expedient, in fact, very impolitic, and injudicious, to elect General Johnston. When this announcement was made Judge Lyons arose and argued that the stockholders ought not to hesitate to elect Gen. Johnston because of any apprehension that he would be objectionable, for that Gen. Mahone had been elected president of a road, and Gen. Lee's own son had been appointed to fill a place in the Virginia Military Institute, and that, moreover, General Johnston, himself, would be the first to remove all difficulty by resigning.

At this stage of the proceedings. John Harmer Gilmer arose, and, in a brief speech, said that if the meeting would adjourn until tomorrow morning, he had almost certain reason to know that General Terry would announce, as became a gallant, brave and brilliant soldier towards a fallen foe, that no objection would be raised to General Johnston.

This announcement was received with hearty cheering, and thereupon the question of adjournment was put by the Chairman, and it was carried with acclamation."

**GEN. LEE'S APPLICATION FOR PARDON.**—The Richmond Whig, referring to the various published statements concerning Gen. Lee's application for pardon, remarks:

"His application for pardon, if we are not mistaken, had been prepared, and was about to be transmitted to Washington, when a super-serviceable judge, holding a Federal court at Norfolk, caused an indictment to be found against him, with a number of other distinguished gentlemen, for treason. Thereupon General Lee, instead of forwarding his application to Washington, enclosed it to General Grant, with a note calling his attention to what had been done at Norfolk, and remarking that, if according to his (Gen. Grant's) understanding of the articles of capitulation, he (Gen. Lee) was liable to indictment and prosecution for treason, then he did not feel at liberty to make the application for pardon. But if General Grant's understanding was the reverse, then General Lee would be obliged to him if he would forward the petition to the President. General Grant, if we have not been misinformed, responded to General Lee's note promptly, and in the most complimentary and friendly terms, enclosing a letter he had addressed to Washington in forwarding the petition, taking the ground that, under the terms of the surrender, the proceeding at Norfolk was wholly inadmissible. This brought to a sudden close the plan of Judge Underwood to make his name immortal by associating it with a trial in which Robert E. Lee occupied the prisoner's dock, and at the same time brought General Lee's petition before the President in the mode, most agreeable to himself and most honorable to his successful antagonist."

## Educational.

**LITERARY INSTITUTE FOR YOUNG LADIES.**  
 No 7 North Carey St.—near Franklin Square. BALTIMORE, MD.  
 MISS CUMMING, Principal.  
 Assisted by an efficient corps of teachers.  
 TERMS FOR THE SCHOLASTIC YEAR:  
 Payment Semi-Annually in Advance.  
**BOARDERS.**  
 Board and Tuition, advanced English Course,.....\$300 00  
 Board and Tuition..... 250 00  
 French..... 32 00  
 Latin..... 20 00  
 Music.—Piano Forte..... 80 00  
 Use of the Piano per quarter..... 4 00  
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 Guitar..... 30 00  
 Vocal Music..... 24 00  
 Drawing..... 40 00  
 Painting in Oil..... 40 00

**DAY SCHOLARS.**  
 Payment required quarterly in Advance.  
 Preparatory Department.....\$30 00  
 Sub Junior "..... 50 00  
 Junior "..... 50 00  
 Middle "..... 70 00  
 Senior "..... 70 00  
 Fuel per Year..... 2 00  
 Circulars can be had by application to the Principal, or at the Fancy Store of C. W. Green, No. 19 North Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va. Baltimore, Md., sep 11—2w

**ROCK HILL COLLEGE, ELLICOTT'S MILLS,** near Baltimore, Md.—This Institution, incorporated and empowered to confer degrees and academical honors, is conducted by the Brothers of the Christian Schools, and is situated upon a rising ground in one of the healthiest and most picturesque portions of the State, and within a few minutes walk of the Ellicott's Mills railroad station. The scholastic year commences on the 1st of September and terminates about the 1st of July.  
 TERMS:—Board, Washing and Tuition, \$260; Music and Drawing are charged extra.  
 sep 1—1m BRO. BETTELIN, President.

**UNIVERSITY OF VIRGINIA.**—The next session of this Institution (which was never discontinued during the war) will commence, as usual, October 1, 1865, and end July 4, 1866. The Institution is organized into eleven distinct schools, with as many Professors. Six of the schools are Academic (besides that of Chemistry, which is also Medical,) four belong to the Medical and one to the Law Department. The College Expenses, for the session of nine months, will be from \$320 to \$350, exclusive of text books; of which sum about \$215 will be required on admission and the balance between that time and the 1st of April.  
 For further information address the subscriber, Post Office, University of Virginia.  
 S. MAUPIN, Chairman of Faculty.  
 aug 15—1m\*

**ALEXANDRIA SEMINARY.**  
 South Pitt Street, No. 85.  
 The exercises of this institution will be resumed the first Monday in September next.—The course of studies will consist, as heretofore, of the English Branches, Latin, Hebrew, French and German languages. It is now forty years since the undersigned assumed the profession of teaching, and more than a quarter of a century since he commenced teaching in this city. He still tenders his services to his fellow citizens, and respectfully solicits a continuation of that patronage which has been heretofore so liberally extended to him. For terms apply to the Principal at his residence, No. 87, Pitts. st., south. S. KING SHAY.  
 aug 22—1m

**MISS MARK'S SEMINARY FOR YOUNG LADIES,** will be resumed on Tuesday, the 12th of September. Every effort will be made to promote the physical, moral, and intellectual advancement of the pupils. The necessity of regular attendance at school, is respectfully presented to parents, as without it there can be very little improvement in the scholars or credit to the teachers. The School Room is eligibly situated at her residence, 214, King street, between Alfred and Columbus, where terms and particulars will be given.  
 aug 14—eotsep15

**ALEXANDRIA FEMALE SEMINARY.**  
 No. 52, Washington st., Alexandria, Va.  
 This school will be opened for the reception of pupils at 9 o'clock, A. M., on Monday the 11th of September.  
 The Principal will teach Mathematics, Ancient Languages, and the Higher English Branches; Mrs. ANNA S. GEORGE, the Elementary Classes; Prof. C. W. SCHUERMAN, Music—Vocal and Instrumental.  
 The course of instruction will be thorough and extensive, and especial attention will be bestowed upon the disciplinary studies—Spelling, Reading, Writing, Geography, &c.  
 Terms—per quarter of the scholastic year: payable in advance.  
 Elementary class.....\$10 00  
 Junior Class..... 12 50  
 Senior Class..... 15 00  
 Board and Washing..... 62 50  
 Fuel (for day pupils)..... 50  
 Music and Modern Languages at Professor's charges.  
 For Circulars address.  
 sep 6—1f K. KEMPER, Principal.

**MRS. WHITING'S SCHOOL FOR YOUNG CHILDREN,** will be resumed on Tuesday, the 12th of September. The school room is eligibly situated on Washington street, adjoining Christ Church lot.  
 aug 17—eotsep15

## Educational.

**BELLE HAVEN INSTITUTE OPENS** for the reception of BOARDING and DAY PUPILS the 18th of September. The course of study will be thorough, embracing all the branches of a finished female education. In the Preparatory Department every effort will be made to secure for the young a thorough grounding. Music and French will receive special attention. A Professor of Music will be employed for advanced pupils. A competent Instructress in Music will also be engaged, rendering this desirable accomplishment less expensive for beginners and others who prefer joining her class. French alone will be spoken in the Recitation Room during certain specified hours, and rigid attention will be paid to pronunciation throughout the whole course. Gold and Silver Medals and Premiums will be awarded at the close of the session as usual. For circulars, containing terms, &c., apply to  
 MISS E. B. GARBER,  
 sep 8—1f No. 117, Queen st., Alex., Va.

**ALEXANDRIA SCHOOL.**—The School for boys formerly conducted by the Messrs. Kemper will be reopened by the undersigned on the 11th September, in the large and comfortable room, on the S. E. corner Prince and Fairfax streets.  
 Terms, per quarter of the scholastic year:  
 Payable in Advance  
 Elementary class, \$10.00  
 Junior " 12.50  
 Senior " 15.00  
 DEL. KEMPER,  
 aug 12—1f W. D. STUART, M. A.

**THE** subscriber will open his SCHOOL for BOYS, in the centre room, on the lower floor of the Lyceum building, on Monday, the 11th of September. As heretofore the number of pupils will be limited, that they may be under his own personal instruction. Terms of tuition per scholastic quarter, as follows:—For Orthography, Reading Writing, Arithmetic and Geography \$8; English Grammar, History and Composition \$10; Mathematics and the Natural Sciences \$12. H. F. HENRY.  
 N. B.—Any person having business with the advertiser may see him at the Lyceum building, between the hours of 8 and 12 m., and 1 and 3 p. m.  
 aug 30—1m

**VIRGINIA HIGH SCHOOL.**  
 Culpeper Court House, Va.  
 This School will be opened on Wednesday, 6th of September, 1865. Thorough instruction given in Ancient and Modern Languages, Mathematics, Natural Sciences, and elementary branches. Scientific course the same as that of the V. M. Institute.  
 Terms: per session of (5) five months; Board, tuition, fuel, and lights.....\$125.  
 PAYABLE IN ADVANCE.  
 For circulars apply to  
 C. E. LIGHTFOOT, Principal.  
 Culpeper Ct. House, Va. sep 2—2w

**SELECT SCHOOL:**  
 NORTH ROOM IN LYCEUM BUILDING.  
 The undersigned, formerly a teacher in the Moravian Schools at Bethlehem and Nazareth, Pa., opens his school in the above named room at 8 a. m., September 4th. Parents desiring to place their children under his care will please apply to  
 C. EDWARD KUMMER,  
 sep 1—1m\* No. 15, South Alfred st.

**ALEXANDRIA CLASSICAL INSTITUTE** is now open in the Odd Fellows Lodge, Columbus street. For particulars, inquire of the principal, T. G. Nevitt, at the school from 9 o'clock till 2; at the City Hotel, the remainder of the day. We are prepared to teach a regular collegiate course.  
 sep 5—1w

**MISS FANNIE V. GWIN** will open school on Monday, 18th September, 1865. All English Branches taught. Particular attention will be paid to Music and the Languages.—Desired information given at 49, south Fairfax street. Reference, C. C. Biting. jy 25—td

**MISS PARROTT,** grateful for the liberal patronage she has received, for a number of years past, respectfully announces to her friends and the public generally, that the duties of her SCHOOL, will be resumed on Monday, the 18th of September next, at the usual place, 180, Cameron, between Alfred and Patrick sts. For terms, &c., apply as above.  
 aug 18—1m

**WENTWORTH FEMALE SEMINARY,**  
 Prince street, opposite the Post Office.  
 The duties of this institution will be resumed on the 11th of September. Circulars may be obtained from the principal.  
 jy 31—1f ALBERT E. BASSFORD.

**F. G. SWAINE,**  
 No. 26, North Royal street.  
 Has constantly on hand a full supply, and is constantly receiving fresh invoices of GROCERIES, WINES, LIQUORS, and all other articles generally found in a first class GROCERY and LIQUOR STORE, and will sep 12—f as they can be bought in this market.

**CHILLS AND FEVERS.**—Those suffering from this troublesome complaint should try PROF. WUNDRAM'S AGUE CURE, through which so many cases were successfully cured last season. Imported and for sale by  
 JULIUS DIENELT, Dentist,  
 145 Prince street, sole agent for the U. S.  
 For sale also at Druggists generally. au 31—3m

**CURE FOR CHILLS AND FEVERS.**—Osgood's Chologogue, Ayres' Ague Cure, Shallenberger's Antidote, Deshler's Pills, &c., for sale by  
 HENRY COOK,  
 aug 13—1f No. 39, King street.

## Candidates.

GILBERT S. MINER, is a candidate to represent the Seventh Congressional District of Virginia, in the House of Representatives.  
 Alexandria, September 4—1e\*

BAZIL BRAWNER is a candidate for the House of Delegates of Va., from Prince William county.  
 aug 30—1e

**FIRST NATIONAL BANK—**  
 Corner of Prince and Water Streets.  
**Government Bonds,**  
 5 PER CENT TREASURY NOTES,  
 QUARTERMASTERS' CHECKS  
 AND  
 CERTIFICATES OF INDEBTEDNESS,  
 BOUGHT.  
**REVENUE STAMPS FOR SALE.**  
 Collections made on all parts of the United States.  
 Drafts on Washington, Baltimore, Philadelphia and New York.  
**EXCHANGE ON EUROPE.**  
 Gold, Silver, and Bank Notes bought and sold.  
 feb 9—1f

**JOHN W. BURKE,**  
 BROKER,  
 No. 29, N. E. Corner King and Water sts., ALEXANDRIA, VA.  
 7.30 U. S. BONDS FOR SALE.  
 GOLD, SILVER,  
 GOVERNMENT CERTIFICATES,  
 AND UNCURRENT FUNDS,  
 Bought and Sold.  
 COLLECTIONS made on all accessible points, and STOCKS bought and sold on commission.  
 ie 21—1f

**BOOKS AND STATIONERY.**  
 WHOLESALE AND RETAIL,  
 AT  
**FRENCH'S**  
 BOOK AND STATIONERY STORE,  
 NO. 104, KING STREET, ALEXANDRIA, VA.  
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 which I offer for sale at the lowest cash prices—including a full assortment of Cap, Note and Letter Paper, Printing Cards, Bibles, Episcopal and Catholic Prayer Books, Gold Pens, Goulet's & Perry's celebrated Steel Pens, Thaddeus David's and Arnold's best Writing Fluid and Ink, Paints, Water Colors, Dominoes, Pencils, Slates, Copy Books, Memorandum and Pass Books, Penholders, Envelopes all sizes and qualities, Inkstands, Chess and Backgammon Boards and men, Pocket Books, Photograph Albums, Magazines, Reviews, Newspapers, Periodicals, Playing Cards, Portfolios, Writing Desks, Rulers, all other articles usually kept in a first class Book and Stationery Store.  
 All orders from the country promptly attended to.  
 GEORGE E. FRENCH,  
 aug 30—1f

**JOHN T. CREIGHTON & SON,**  
 No. 88, King Street, Alexandria, Virginia.  
**DEALERS IN AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS,** Hardware, Cutlery, Bellows, Anvils, Nail Rods, Horse Shoes, Blister Steel, Files, Rasps, Shoeing Tools, &c. Commin's Iron Beam Plough kept on hand; Castings for Titus Iron Plough kept on hand; Sash, Doors, Blinds, &c., furnished to order. Roofing Felt, and Cement, Percussion Caps, Double and Single Guns, Shot Pouches, Powder Flasks, &c., wholesale and Retail. Terms Cash, set—f

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**PATENT RIBBON HAND STAMP.**  
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**PATENT CANCELING AND ADVERTISING STAMP.**  
 This is the only Stamp that changes its dates without being taken apart or soiling the fingers, and which excels all other stamps in being complete in itself. For sale at FRENCH'S  
 sep 2—1f 104 King street.

**JUST RECEIVED.**—20 bbls. Stafford Mills FAMILY FLOUR. 30 bbls. John Davidson's celebrated EXTRA FLOUR. 30 bbls. Choice SUPER FLOUR. 30 bbls. LIME.  
 aug 24—1f J. CLINTON MILBURN.

**E. C. KING & E. R. ROXBURY,**  
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 WASHINGTON, D. C.  
 respectfully invite their friends to give them a call when visiting the city. A large stock of DRY AND FANCY GOODS, constantly on hand, and no efforts will be spared to please.  
 Washington, Sept. 4—1m

**JUST RECEIVED.**—A fresh lot of BUTTER and EGGS, from Loudon co. Also a lot of FINE TEAS, from Philadelphia  
 J. T. SHERWOOD,  
 aug 31—1f Cor. Queen and St. Asaph sts.

**WANTED.**—LANDS in Alexandria, Fairfax and Prince William counties.  
 SMOOT & WHEAT, Land Agents,  
 aug 28—1f Alexandria, Va.